

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

What is claimed is:

1. (Currently Amended) A ~~tube for~~ passageway for directing fluid along a path that includes a bend, ~~the tube~~ the passageway comprising:

a conduit having a first aperture, a second aperture, and a bend portion adjacent the second aperture;

an outer bend surface integrally formed as part of the conduit to at least partially define the second aperture;

an insert including at least a portion of an inner bend surface, the insert disposed near the second aperture such that the outer bend surface and the inner bend surface cooperate to at least partially define the bend.

2. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 1, wherein at least one of the conduit and insert is formed from a thermosetting plastic.

3. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 2, wherein the thermosetting plastic includes polyester.

4. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 1, wherein the bend portion at least partially defines a flange.

5. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 4, wherein the conduit includes a substantially tubular portion.

6. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 4, wherein the bend portion includes a pocket sized to receive the insert.

7. (Cancelled)

8. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 1, further comprising a gasket positioned adjacent the insert and the bend portion.

9. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 8, wherein the gasket cooperates with the conduit to retain the insert in a desired position.

10-12. (Cancelled)

13. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 1, wherein the fluid is an air-fuel mixture.

14. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 1, wherein the fluid is a coolant.

15. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 1, wherein the fluid is intake air.

16-40. (Cancelled)

41. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 1, wherein ~~the tube the~~ passageway at least partially defines an intake passage for an internal combustion engine.

42. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 1, wherein ~~the tube the~~ passageway at least partially defines a coolant passage for an internal combustion engine.

43. (Currently Amended) The ~~tube of~~ passageway of claim 8, further comprising a fastener operable to attach the insert to the bend portion.

44. (New) The passageway of claim 1, wherein the conduit defines a flow path between the inlet and outlet that is substantially circular in a cross-section taken normal to the flow path.

45. (New) The passageway of claim 5, wherein the tubular portion includes a substantially cylindrical outer surface and a substantially cylindrical inner surface.